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BY ECF AND FAX

Honorable Sandra L. Townes
United States District Judge
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Guillermo Valencia Zuluaga
07 CR 653 (SLT)

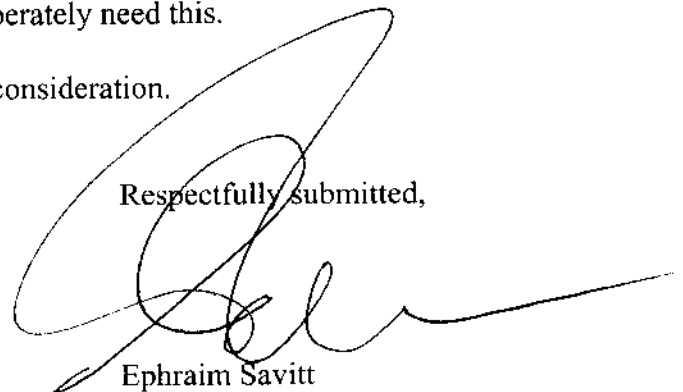
Dear Judge Townes:

After the sentencing, I received an urgent request from Guillermo Zuluaga's wife and sister in Colombia if it was possible for him to serve the balance of his term in a facility in Florida. That would enable them to travel from Colombia to visit him from time to time without expending prohibitive air fare costs. They really cannot afford it.

I respectfully ask that Your Honor recommend in the written Judgment that the Bureau of Prisons designate my client to a facility close to Miami, Florida to allow his family members to visit him and keep his morale up. He and they desperately need this.

I thank Your Honor for your courtesy and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ephraim Savitt', with a large, sweeping initial 'E'.

Ephraim Savitt

cc: AUSA Carolyn Pokorny
Guillermo Valencia Zuluaga